

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Peter Mascia

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Title : BIOLOGICAL CONTAINMENT SYSTEM

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the action dated December 18, 2006, finally rejecting claims 1-28, 30-36, 50, and 52-63.

A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to extend the time to respond to the final rejection for 2 months to and including May 21, 2007, is enclosed.

Please charge Deposit Account 06-1050 in the amount of \$250 for the appeal fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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